S. 2406

To amend title 17, United States Code, relating to the definition of a local service area of a primary transmitter, and for other purposes.

IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES

AUGUST 18, 1994

 $\label{eq:mrs.hatch} \mbox{Mrs. Hutchison (for herself and Mr. Hatch) introduced the following bill;} \\ \mbox{which was read twice, considered, read the third time, and passed}$

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- 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representa-
- 2 tives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,
- 3 SECTION 1. LOCAL SERVICE AREA OF A PRIMARY TRANS-
- 4 **MITTER.**
- 5 (a) IN GENERAL.—Section 111(f) of title 17, United
- 6 States Code, is amended in the paragraph relating to the
- 7 definition of "local service area of a primary
- 8 transmitter"—

1	(1) by striking out "comprises the area" and
2	inserting in lieu thereof "comprises either the area";
3	and

- (2) by inserting after "April 15, 1976," the following: "or such station's television market as defined in section 76.55(e) of title 47, Code of Federal Regulations (as in effect on September 18, 1993), or any subsequent modifications to such television market made pursuant to section 76.55(e) or 76.59 of title 47 of the Code of Federal Regulations,".
- 11 (b) EFFECTIVE DATE.—The amendment made under 12 subsection (a), relating to the definition of the local service 13 area of a primary transmitter, shall take effect on 14 July 1, 1994.

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